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Michelle Buffington.  
California Air Resources Board  
Sent via Email Only

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Dear Michelle,

Pursuant to your request for the list of my top 5 priorities for the panel, I have listed them below. They are in order of my priority and enumerated as they appear in Section 95489(a).

- 4. Advances in fuels and production technologies, including the feasibility and cost-effectiveness of such advances.
- 6. An assessment of supply availabilities and the rates of commercialization of fuels and vehicles.
- 7. The LCFS program's impact on the State's fuel supplies.
- 3. Advances in full, fuel-lifecycle assessments.
- 2. Adjustments to the compliance schedule, if needed.

I recognize that the panel will have a number of other issues to work through. However, these are the priorities I feel I am best able to make a meaningful contribution to and that are critical to the success of the panel fulfilling its responsibilities to the Executive Director and the affected parties of the Low Carbon Fuel Standard.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bob Whiteman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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